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FATHER CARR HONOURED

The new library and administrative building at the corner of Queen's Park Crescent and St. Joseph St. is scheduled to open early in September. A substantial stone structure, it will be beautifully furnished and given the name CARR HALL in recognition of the tremendous contribution made to the development of St. Michael's by Father Henry Carr, C.S.B., LL.D.

Father Carr's career is both remarkable and constructive. He has always been a man of courageous action when it came to initiating educational policy, and his influence has been felt across Canada. He taught Basilians how to integrate their programs with Provincial Departments of Education; he impressed upon them the wisdom of adding State Certificates to their own traditional qualifications; he demonstrated that Catholic colleges could function in publicly financed Provincial Universities, to the advantage of both Church and State.

Father Carr was ordained in 1905 just as University Federation was becoming a reality in Toronto. He served St. Michael's as professor, diplomat, athletic coach and distinguished Churchman from 1905 to 1925. From 1916 to 1925 he was Superior of the College. From 1925 to 1928 he was Master of Scholastics; from 1930 to 1942 he was Superior General of the Congregation. Since retiring from that office he has been six years Superior of St. Thomas More College in the University of Saskatchewan, and three years Superior of a new foundation at the University of British Columbia. No Catholic educator in Canada has done more than he in bringing traditional culture and learning to the people of Canada. It is eminently fitting that his career should be recognized in Toronto and at St. Michael's where his influence has been unparalleled. Carr Hall stands as a lasting testimony to his place in the hearts of alumni, students and faculty of St. Michael's.



Sgt. Bob Warne photographed last Fall at the foot of Heartbreak Ridge just after hostilities ceased. Bob is expected home soon.



Left to right: Wayne Kurlinski, '53, and friend; Mollie O'Brien, '53, Frank Callaghan.

THE MIKE

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EDITORIAL

We are grateful to the alumni who have written encouragement to THE MIKE and who have sent us news and pictures. We would like to take this space to remind everyone that we can make the alumni paper only as interesting to all as the material we receive will determine. We depend on you.

As members of the College Community in our undergraduate days we develop a close interest in the welfare of the other members and it is always gratifying to know where they are and what they are doing. Items of news and pictures, announcement of Births, Engagements, Marriages, Jobs, Death, etc., all these are the lifeblood of our newspaper. We depend on you.

NEWS

Jim Coghlan, '53, has accepted a teaching position at St. Michael's College School where he will also act as coach of the high school football team. Ted Boyle, '50, and Daphne Wylie, '52, will be married in June, after which Dr. Ted will begin his internship at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto. Leslie Dewart, '51, will receive his Doctorate in Philosophy in May and will join the faculty of the University of Detroit in September.

The class of 1954 held a meeting to elect a permanent secretary-treasurer of the class; Hal Beaudry, the third year representative of this class, was elected to the post. Regional secretaries were elected to assist Hal; Paul Lorch, currently president of the SAC, and Ann Somerville, president of St. Michael's College Women, were elected honorary president and vice-president of the class. A plan for a class reunion in 1959 was adopted.

We had a welcome letter from Brother Regis (Bill) Ryan, O.P., '48, who tells us that he is now in second year

1954 AT - HOME



Left to right: Jim McManamy, '53, and friend; Joanne Mahon, '53, Don Day.



Left to right: Murray Mogan, '53 and friend; Marg Burke, '53, Jack Dewey, '52.

Theology at the Dominican Fathers House of Studies in Washington. He says he has enjoyed visits from Frank Giblin, George Tetzl, Steve Carr, Bob Rambusch, Paul Knollmyer, and others.

Bob Ringwood, '51, is a lay brother (Brother Thomas Mary) with the Trappists at St. Joseph's Abbey, Spencer, Mass.

A second boy was born to Bob and Betty Reid, a second girl to Joe and Helen Burns, a second girl to Paul and Win Johnson, a first son to Bob and Gloria Buckley, a daughter to Bill and Joan Moore, a daughter to Ed and Helen Gariepy.

Famed Hockey Coach Dies

In March of this year Dr. W. J. (Jerry) Laflamme, coach of the famous 1934 Memorial Cup winners, died at his home in Woodstock, Ont.

Jerry was a great hockey player, starring on two Allan Cup championship teams, St. Michael's College in 1909, and Toronto Dentals in 1917. In his later years he was both a coach and a referee in the National Hockey League, before returning to the College to fashion the great teams of the 1930's.

May he rest in peace.

Ensign Faust Rossi, USN, '53.



GENERAL ELMSLEY DIES

Major General James H. Elmsley died in January at the age of 75. He was the grand-son of Hon. John J. Elmsley, who gave to the Basilian Fathers the Clover Hill property on which the first college building and St. Basil's Church were built.

General Elmsley was a veteran of the Boer War and World War I; he was decorated for conspicuous achievement in both of those wars. He had been an officer commanding Winnipeg, Kingston, Ottawa and Toronto military districts. After his retirement he had been a resident of St. Basil's Parish. Father Gerald Anglin, C.S.B., sang the funeral Mass.

The General's grandfather, Hon. John J. Elmsley, was the son of the second Chief Justice of Upper Canada. John Elmsley's conversion to Catholicism in 1833 aroused a great stir throughout Ontario. Besides his contribution to St. Michael's, John Elmsley was an energetic and liberal supporter of Catholic education throughout the city until he died in 1865.

NEWS (cont'd)

Dave Read, '37, Ed Crawford, '41, and Dr. Ed Heintz, '41, were recent visitors to the college, when their sister-in-law, Miss Josephine Conlon, received the habit of a sister of the order of the Sisters of St. Joseph at the Motherhouse in Toronto.

Bud Wood, '52, is stationed in Germany near Landstuhl, in Troop Information and Education.

George Webster, '53, is working with Canadian International Paper at Gatineau, P.Q.

Mary Lonergan, '53, is teaching at Mattawa, Ontario.

Jack Killea, '42, has become a member of the firm of Hill, Rivkins, Middleton, Louis, Warburton, in New York City.

Father Tom Doran, '42, is now stationed at St. John the Evangelist Church in Syracuse, New York; Father Bob McKay, '39, is now at St. Mathew's Church in North Syracuse.

Basilian Fathers Gene Malley, Ambrose Raftis, and Fred Black will be returning this summer from their studies in Europe. Father Terrence Forestell, C.S.B. will return to Canada for the summer but will continue his Scripture studies in Rome again in the Fall. Father Diemer, pastor of St. Basil's Church, Toronto, and the Editor of **The Mike** will spend time in Europe this summer.



PICTURED AT RIGHT—ABOVE:

Steve Carr, '51, and Sylvia (Sinclair) Carr on the day of their wedding in New York City.

BELOW:

Left to right: Bud and Mary Brennan, '52, Anne Adams, Rod Mudge, '54.



NEWS (cont'd)

Tom Coleman, '40, attached to the American Embassy in Brussels, reports that an ecclesiastical dignitary speaking with him there referred to St. Michael's as "our little Louvain in the New World."

Bert McNerney, '35, President of the Students Council of that year, writes that he is living now in Schenectady, New York; he is Manager in charge of Ice Cream Sales for General Ice Cream Corporation.

Julian Michalski, '52, is working at Canada Packers in Toronto.

During the past year undergraduate students of the college have been writing a very successful feature column in the **Ontario Catholic Register**, entitled "Campus Calling."

Viggo Rambusch, '53, is with the U.S. Army in Heidelberg, Jud Gibbs, '52, is wearing a similar uniform in the vicinity of Salzburg, Ed Vojtisek, '53, is somewhere in Europe, Ted Coyer, '53, is at Camp Pickett, Va. Vince McCarthy and Jim McDermott, of the same class, are due to leave Fort Dix soon. Jerry Boulet, '51, is at Fort Monmouth, Dick Loftus, '53, is at Aberdeen Proving Ground and classmate Glen Walls is still at Fort Dix. Don Murnane, last year's student Athletic Director, is in an Army school studying IBM operations, Joan Coles, '53, is working for the Crown Life Insurance Co. in Toronto; classmate Marjorie Baldassari is in a municipal office in Guelph, Ont.

Al Reichert, '53, in Law at Fordham writes that he met Lorraine O'Donnell, '53, while she was doing social work in Brooklyn as part of her graduate course at the University of Ottawa.

Wayne Kurlinski is editor of the Company newspaper published by General Tire Co. in Akron, Ohio; Molly O'Brien, '53, is working for a co-op newspaper in Toronto, **The Rural Co-operator**; Mamie Flynn, '49, is on the staff of the **Renfrew Gazette**; Jack Dewey, '52, is working for General Electric in Hornell, N.Y.; brother Jim, '51, is at Georgetown in the School of Foreign Service; Marg Burke, '53, is with Aetna Life in Toronto; Bob Keane, '53, is with North American Indemnity in Binghamton.

Don Mogan, '49, and Gene Guagnali, '52, are teaching at St. Lawrence High School in Cornwall; Ernie Morrissey, '49, is teaching at Cornwall Collegiate, Ernie Bellefeuille, '53, is a neopharmacist in Cornwall; Pat Rudden and Reid Campbell are in law in the same city; Mo Egan is doing social work in Cornwall (seems as if an alumni chapter is shaping up in the eastern end of the province).

Jack Wallace, '49, is second in command in the new Civilian Defence School in Renfrew; brother Doug, '50, is still with the Canadian Army in Japan—we are sure that the alumni overseas will deeply appreciate letters from old friends.



The children of Mr. and Mrs. Bert McNerney, '35.



Left to right: Ellen Louise, Stephen, Billy and Francis, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mangine, '40, Glens Fall, N.Y.

RECENT MARRIAGES

Gordon Quinn, '51, and Andrey Shortt; Angus Dixon, '39, and Jane Niblett; John Lancefield, '50, and Helen Jean Lahey; Jean Meraw, '52, and Ed O'Keefe, '53; Tom Dillon, '52, and Therese Bauer, '52.



Joe Thompson, '53, and Anne Marie Green, '52, in Toronto; Bill Broadhurst, '51, and Billie May, in Toronto, May 22; Don Clune, '52, and Anne Berthon, '53, on the same day in Toronto; Dan McCarthy, '51, and Mary Sue McGee, '54, in Toronto, June 19; Anne Adams and Rod Mudge, '54, in September in New York City.

OLD BOYS' SMOKER

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